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13. [] In followup of the decision to go the legislative history route on S. 2515, Equal Employment Opportunities Enforcement Act, met separately with key staffers representing the principal Senators and Representatives on the conference committee and they all endorsed the insertion of the essence of our suggested statement in the conference report:

"In providing the statutory basis for such appeal or court access, it is not the intent of the Committee to subordinate any discretionary authority or final judgment now reposed in agency heads by, or under, statute for national security reasons in the interests of the United States."

(The underscored words of art from the 102(c) authority were added to make perfectly clear that the Agency was contemplated in this boiled down version of our suggested statement.) Involved in this determination were: from the House Committee on Education and Labor, Chief Clerk, Donald Baker; Director of the Labor Subcommittee, Robert Vagley; Chief Consultant, Tom Hart, and from the Senate Education and Public Welfare Committee, Counsel, Gerald Feder; Associate Counsel, Donald Elisburg, and Minority Staff General Counsel, Eugene Mittelman, representing respectively Representatives Carl Perkins (D., Ky.) and John Dent (D., Pa.) and Senators Harrison Williams (D., N.J.) and Jacob Javits (R., N.Y.).

Separately, Representative Albert Quie (R., Minn.), Ranking Minority Member of the full Committee, told [] he would support our position and Representative John Erlenborn (R., Ill.), Ranking Minority Member of the Subcommittee, told me we could count on his full support.

The advice and approval of Mr. Warner was obtained on the language above and Mr. Fisher was advised of the agreement on the language for whatever action is necessary to keep the Civil Service Commission apprised of these developments.

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25X1 6. [] Called John Lehman, of the White House staff, requesting clarification of certain items on the Legislative Inter-departmental Group agenda for this afternoon which might concern the Agency. I also told him I thought it a good idea to include at this and similar meetings representatives of the Office of Management and Budget, to which he agreed.

25X1 7. [] Senator Ernest Hollings called to say he wanted a first-class briefing on Bangladesh. After checking with the Director and Dick Lehman, I called back to confirm that Mr. William Parmenter would come over to brief the Senator at 4:00 p.m. today.

25X1 8. [] Called Thad Murray, in the office of Senator William B. Spong, to say we had checked with [] and 25X1 examined all available records at Headquarters, but could find no evidence that the Agency had ever employed [] who claimed we owed her compensation for language instruction.

STAT 9. [] Attended a meeting of the Legislative Interdepartmental Group in the White House. See Memo for Record.

25X1 10. [] Called Irving Kator, Assistant Executive Director, Civil Service Commission, to learn what future action they propose to take affecting our interest on S. 2515, Equal Employment Opportunities Enforcement Act (see Memorandum for the Record).

25X1 11. [] In his absence from the office, left a message for Jim Wilkinson, Office of Management and Budget, that the Agency's views on State's proposed report on the Symington select committee proposal, S. Res. 192, would be on its way shortly.

25X1 12. [] Diana Dillon, in the office of Representative Edward P. Boland (D., Mass.), called and stated four letters had been received from constituents strongly reacting to the recent article in Parade Magazine that CIA was engaged in assassinations in Vietnam. Miss Dillon stated that based on the reaction, she will undoubtedly receive a number of other letters. She considered the article "yellow journalism" and requested whether the Agency was making a public denial. I stated our general policy of not commenting to allegations made in the press; however, there was certain information which I would discuss with her to assist in the preparation of a reply to the constituents.

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5. [] In anticipation of a meeting between 25X1
Senator Jacob Javits (R., N. Y.), Mr. Maury and myself on S. 2515, Equal
Employment Opportunities Enforcement Act, met with Mr. Eugene Mittelman,
General Counsel of the Minority Staff, Senate Labor and Public Welfare
Committee, who, I understand, advises Javits on these matters. I informed
him of our meeting with Senator Peter Dominick (R., Colo.) and reviewed
the proposed amendment with him. Mittelman sees our principal problem
stemming from the fact that we are currently subject to Executive Order 11478
and its appeal procedures, and the pros and cons of this situation were
discussed with inconclusive results. We also discussed several suggestions
that Mittelman had for language less sweeping than our proposed amendment,
and he said he would like to review the matter further with Irving Kator, Civil
Service Commission. Mittelman said that it might be better to push for any
change in conference rather than on the Senate floor and I told him of our
preparation of this eventuality with Robert Vagley, Director of the Labor
Subcommittee, House Education and Labor Committee, and Mittelman said
he would contact him. I pointed out a deficiency in the bill which did not
affect us and Mittelman was thankful that we called it to his attention.

6. [] Called Bob Vagley, Director of the 25X1
Labor Subcommittee, House Education and Labor Committee, to inform him
of the Senate Labor and Public Welfare Committee's reaction to our position
with respect to Section 717 of S. 2515, Equal Employment Opportunities
Enforcement Act, and the possibility that the appropriate changes would not
be taken up on the Senate floor but would be worked out in conference
committee, confirming what he had told me on 17 November. Vagley said
he was sure we could count on support for our position from Representative
John Dent (D, Pa.), and it was agreed that we would get together early next
week to review language.

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1. [] Met with Charles Lombard, Minority Staff Director of Senate Space Committee, and gave him the briefings for granting him [] clearances. Lombard then executed the appropriate security agreements.

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2. [] Met with David Martin, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, and provided him unclassified material in response to his request for speeches by Grechko and other Soviet leaders on various aspects of Soviet policy. See Journal of 7 January 1972.

I also left with Martin several items on use of Soviet intelligence agents in the UN and UNESCO in response to a request from CI Staff that this material be placed in the Congressional Record. Martin said he would look over these items and let me know whether they could be placed in the Record.

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3. [] Ted Kazy, Senior Staff Assistant, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, called to report that he had now reviewed H. R. 7130, Fair Labor Standards Act Amendments of 1971, and has concluded that it does indeed pose a number of substantial problems. He learned from staff members of the Education and Labor Committee that formal clearance from the Civil Service Commission has been obtained. Kazy said that Representative H. R. Gross (R., Iowa), the Ranking Minority Member of the full Committee, is initiating action concerning the problems presented by the reported out bill, not the least of which is conflict in committee jurisdiction. He thanked us for calling the matter to his attention and said he would keep us advised.

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8. [] Mr. James Gehrig, Staff Director, Senate Space Committee, asked that we postpone the briefing on Soviet space programs until Friday at 10:30 a.m. This has been arranged.

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9. [] Met with Donald Elisburg, Associate Counsel, Subcommittee on Labor, Senate Labor and Public Welfare Committee, to informally test a number of options for amending S. 2515, Equal Employment Opportunity Enforcement Act of 1971. Mr. Elisburg found one to his liking, although he would prefer to handle the matter by legislative history if at all possible, and he would like to have our final proposal, informally cleared by the Civil Service Commission, no later than Monday, 17 January. (See Memorandum for the Record for details.)

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10. [] Received a call from []
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[], signed by the project director for the Policy Research Division, [] also identified himself as a member of the staff of the Senate Interior Committee. I told [] that neither the Congressional Staff Directory nor the available Senate telephone book listed [] Should interest develop in the proposal, this office will be advised so that a more definitive check on [] status can be made. No further action is indicated at the present time.

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11. [] Received a call from Mrs. Franzetta DeGooyer, Senate Immigration and Naturalization Subcommittee staff, who said that Mr. Drury Blair, of the Subcommittee staff, would like me to come by his office the next time I am in the building.

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5. [] Received a call from George Murphy, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff, regarding the recent Soviet defector who redefected to the USSR. Murphy mentioned that the Committee recently sent a letter to the Atomic Energy Commission asking what information was available from defectors and other sources which would indicate the compromise of atomic energy information. AEC's response indicated they had checked with the Agency, as well as with others, in preparing their response and Murphy wonders what effect, if any, this redefection has on the credibility of the information contained in AEC's response. I told him I would check on this and be back in touch with him.

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6. [] I checked with the Senate Appropriations Committee staff and was advised that Bill Woodruff was not expected to be back in his office until 18 January. Senator Ellender planned to go to Louisiana upon his return from the South Pole and was not expected in Washington until about the 18th.

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7. [] Checked with Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, who said he would be in and out of his office this week and that Chairman Mahon was in the city. I passed this information on to Colonel White who said he would let me know whether we were interested in meeting with the Chairman this week concerning the Radios.

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8. [] I talked to Mrs. Lois G. Myers, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee staff, who told me that the final report of the Oliver Committee on Federal Pay and Classification Systems, dated January 1972, has been forwarded to the Civil Service Commission with copies to the House Post Office and Civil Service Committee. The Committee hopes to have copies printed by next week. This report will provide the basis for development by the Civil Service Commission of recommendations and draft legislation for submission to the Congress early in the year. (1)

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